

# Mental Blindness And National Ruin

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"And if our gospel also is veiled, it is veiled only to those who are perishing. In their case, **THE GOD OF THIS WORLD** has blinded their unbelieving minds, that they should not see the light of the gospel of the glory of Christ, Who is the image of God." 2 Cor 4: 1-6.

"Every one that is of the truth heareth my voice." John 18:37.

"For our wrestling is not against flesh and blood, but against the Principalities and the Powers, against **THE WORLD RULERS OF THIS DARKNESS**, against the spiritual forces of wickedness on high." Eph 6: 10-17.

## Note on Human Thinking

Man's thinking is his main activity for from this comes his joy, happiness, peace, and above all, his eternal happiness or eternal damnation. If a human being from childhood on is fed unsound intellectual principles, his mind is damaged in some mysterious manner. This damage is not always seen by the casual observer but to the trained observer it is often recognized.

The intellect in most cases becomes more or less permanently blind to truth in adulthood, and the adult has little, if any, interest in seeking the truth of things. Naturally, individuals vary according to their individual mental capacities, but here is implied a general statement. The adult seldom ever escapes from this condition. If he does escape, it is only by his own free will AND the grace of God.

Man's intellect, call it the reasoning machinery, might be compared to an electronic computer. If all the electrical circuits are properly balanced (being taught sound principles during childhood), the machine functions properly at all times. As the circuits become little by little improperly balanced, the time that the machine works improperly is increased until it does not work at all. The same is true of the human intellect. From infancy on, the human mind sets up a relativity system of its very own in order to organize all the information it receives and to keep things on an even keel. If it has been nourished from childhood with sound principles, then its overall adult "relating system" will also be sound. If fed unsound intellectual principles, its adult "relating system" will be unsound.

The safety fuse in the human intellect is its capacity to "rationalize."

At all times it tends to try, consciously or unconsciously, to justify its own actions in order to maintain its equilibrium. Many times in this rationalizing process, the intellect blinds itself unconsciously to truth and reality. This tends to offset the unbalanced circuits. This situation seems to establish some sort of irreversible reaction, thus setting up a more or less permanent blindness.

What other explanation can there be to the vast mental blindness that exists today when the masses of the people are being led to their own slaughter, not only not complaining, but are going there with their own joyful cooperation?

There can be many part explanations, but overall it definitely indicates that when a person, from childhood on, is not fed a true Christian, intellectual diet, his adult intellect becomes more or less permanently damaged. Today, we have a society that knows not right from wrong! The most important duty of parents is to safeguard the minds of their children. This same duty is also obligatory upon civil government. During the past four centuries or so, this slow blinding process has been in operation until today we have a mentally blind society. Most people have never had the opportunity to be taught the real meaning of life, taught sound mental principles in childhood, taught the proper function of civil government, taught the true meaning of work, and above all, true Christian principles. As to the total explanation of this blinding phe-



The work of **COMMON SENSE** will continue in a spiritual field now that our work in "saving our country" is finished. All of our staff, in one way or another, will continue the battle for Jesus Christ and will answer *HIS* call: "Come to Me, all you that labor, and are burdened, and I will refresh you."

nomenon, it is a mystery known only to God. How **He** will judge is known only to Him.

Present day psychiatrists seem to observe or sense this blinding process but they can not fit it into its proper place because they lack the true foundation of a sound intellectual system, namely a Christian intellect. Their observations are often excellent and must not be quickly discarded. It is their explanations that sometimes err. Of course, we must never under any circumstances try to explain away the lack of knowledge of sin and evil, right and wrong, that is the basic cause of the mental blindness that runs rampant today. As stated before, too many people know not right from wrong. Never before in history has Satan and his Jews and other followers debauched the human race with such a hellish scheme. It is therefore obvious that human society must always be protected from falseness in general, false doctrines of freedom, from false doctrines of religion, and from false doctrines of civil government.

As the Aryan race can destroy itself by race mixing, so within the Aryan race itself, the people will be destroyed if they do not have the leadership to protect them from an inferior intellectual environment. Once intellectual inferiority commences within a society, it is almost always fatal. The superior must lead the inferior. Today it is the rabble who lead. Government by popular vote will never put superior men into public office nor would it keep them there. As just stated, the superior must lead the inferior. This is part of God's hierarchy of order. Most of the "evils" that we see today, are in reality, not evils but the results of evil. This evil is basically the lack of true Christian mentality and the lack of Christian civil government.

If people truly wished to obliterate the Jew monsters and their followers, then people should have declared publicly the supremacy of Christ and His place in civil society and civil government. If we will publicly declare His Sovereignty, then we shall have His help. We have failed to do this, so our nation will be destroyed. "Without Him we can do nothing." The outlawing of Christian moral law in public has caused the downfall of civilization.

The comments in this little article have been presented in order to try to show the basic fundamentals that are involved in our present state of the total collapse of civilization. Without understanding the basic principles of what is going on in the world, we shall only continue to be led straight thru the gates of hell into insanity. Pages and pages of explanation could be written but time is about at an end. Only a quick return to Christianity shall save us. The hydrogen bomb is a mere 5¢ firecracker compared to what is coming unless God soon intervenes.

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Only one life, 'twill soon be past:  
Only what's done for Christ will last.

# The Last Round-Up

("Choose Ye This Day")

By MARILYN R. ALLEN

Whose stigmata will you carry in your forehead, in your palm? That of the Cross of Light and Glory? Or the beast's shameful mark, that you may trade in the market place?

Will you choose the Cross of Christ, humility and service? Or the Star of David — that of Judas Iscariot — worship of self, of gold and mammon?

Each one now must choose his brand: NEVER was a choice so fraught with good or evil: A choice from which there is NO returning.

The curtain rises on the Last Round-Up: Climactic crisis of the ages: There are only two kinds of players — villains and heroes: There are no neutrals and no substitutes. Soon, the days of appeasement, of betrayal, even the great day of battle, will be over: Then the **TIME OF JUDGMENT**, when each man's brand will mark him what he is, as he faces the **BOSS of the Last Round-Up**.

Too late, too late, for gnashing of teeth: The Great Boss will ask, as you stand before Him: "Whose brand did you wear, below? Mine, or that of the Enemy of Mankind? Did you help or hinder My cause, when the bitter battle waxed hot? Did you befriend or betray those who held high the Cross of my Son?"

To some, He'll say "Depart from me ye cursed: I never knew you." And to those who fought the good fight, "Well done, ye good and faithful servants, come up higher. To him that overcometh, will I give a crown."

O God of Hosts, let ME be found as true as the azure hue of a star-studded sky. Let me count life itself well lost so that I bear THY Cross, Thy Brand, aloft!

In my heart, burns unquenchable fire of Love and Gratitude to Thee, for my own, my dear, and native land — a fire that will not let me rest, but burns and burns with anguish, that Thy people's eyes are holden: Their hearts hardened: Why can't they see? Why can't they understand? O give me words to rouse them, lest bombs forever seal them silent! Let me stir them from their puny ways of life to the horror, grandeur, glory of **THE LAST ROUND-UP!**

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**HEAVEN and EARTH shall pass away,  
but my words shall not pass away.**  
— Matthew 24:35

## Spengler Calls the Shots . . .

"The picture of the earth, with its plants, animals and men, has altered. In a few decades most of the forests have gone, to be turned into news-print, and climatic changes have been thereby set afoot which imperil the land-economy of whole populations . . . All things organic are dying in the grip of organization. An artificial world is permeating and poisoning the natural. The Civilization itself has become a machine that does, or tries to do, everything in mechanical fashion. We think only in horse-power now; we cannot look at a waterfall without mentally turning it into electric power; we cannot survey a countryside full of pasturing cattle without thinking of its exploitation . . ."

"This machine-technics will end with the Faustian civilization and one day will lie in fragments, *forgotten* — our railways and steamships as dead as the Roman roads and the Chinese wall, our giant cities and skyscrapers in ruins like old Memphis and Babylon. The history of this technics is fast drawing to its inevitable close. It will be eaten up from within like the grand forms of any and every culture. When, and in what fashion, we know not."

"Faced as we are with this destiny, there is only one world-outlook that is worthy to be better a short life, full of deeds and glory, than a long life without content. Already the stage is so great, for every individual, every man, every people, that to cherish any illusion whatsoever is deplorable. Time does not suffer from being halted . . . optimism is cowardice."